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SUBJECT: NAM BAK- LUANG PRABANG ROAD TO BE
CONSTRUCTED WITH PRC ASSISTANCE

1. LOCAL LAO NEWSPAPERS DECEMBER 30 CARRIED
STORY THAT DELEGATION OF CHINESE ROAD CONSTRUCTION
EXPERTS HAVE ARRIVED IN LUANG PRABANG. THE
DELEGATION, LEAD BY "COMRADE VONGKOITEU", WAS
WELCOMED IN LUANG PRABANG BY REPRESENTATIVES OF
THE LAO MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS. THE CHINESE
EXPERTS ARE REPORTEDLY CONDUCTING INSPECTIONS AND
SURVEYS PREPARATORY TO BUILDING A ROAD TO LINK
NAM BAK (IN NORTHERN LUANG PRABANG PROVINCE) WITH
THE CITY OF LUANG PRABANG. WORK ON THIS PROJECT
WILL BEGIN IN EARLY 1976, ACCORDING TO THE LAO
PAPERS.

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2. THE LAO PAPERS ALSO DECLARED THAT WHEN THIS

ROAD IS FINISHED, IT WILL BE POSSIBLE TO TRAVEL
ACROSS LAOS FROM THE CHINESE FRONTIER TO THE
CAMBODIAN BORDER.
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